AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Veterans Taken to Cemetery in Autos for Memorial Exercises.

BERT BLANCHARD VERY ILL

Prominent Commission Man Suffering from Searlet Pever-Kannas City Ex-Detective Tries to End Hin Life.

Behind the automobile train of old soldiers and their families who went to Laurel Hill cemetery yesterday for Memorial day services hundreds of men, women and children followed in street

women and children followed in street cars, autos and in buggies. A few even walked. The regulation services of Grand Army of the Republic poets were held in the cemetery, at which the Woman's Relief corps also assisted.

E. R. Leigh, president of the school board, introduced Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick, speaker of the day. The crowds in the cemetery gathered around the speaker, who stood near the grave of the late Colonel F. Etter. Rev. Mr. Kirkpatrick dwelt at length on the sources of the civil war. He analyzed the Mexican question and declared that the United States was the best friend of Mexico.

Bert Blanchard 111.

Bert Blanchard, prominent commission

Bert Blanchard, prominent commission man at the Union Stock yards, is seriously ill with scarlet fever and erysipelas at his home, 2414 F street. Mr. Blanchard was taken ill some days ago and at first the allment was thought to be a light form of scarlet fever. Later the symptoma became acute and ervainelas set in. It was said last night that Mr. Blanchard's condition was very grave.

Detective Takes Poison. William O'Shaughnessy, former Kansas City detective, drank carbolic acid yestarday in an attempt to commit autoide at Twenty-seventh and N streets. Despondency over domestic troubles and shame for having been arrested the night before was the cause of the deed O'Shaughnessy was attended by Dr. A. H. Koenig and later sent to the South Omaha hospital, where it is thought he

O'Shaughnessy was well known in Kansas City, Kan., where for seven years he was a member of the fire department. Three years ago he became a member of the police department and since that time served as a detective. Domestic trounie is said to have caused him to throw up his job last Monday. He came to Omaha and arrived at 1 p. m. Thirty minutes after his arrival in Omaha O'Shaughnessey had a job. He was arrested in South Omaha early yesterday morning charged with drunkenness. Police Magiatrate James Callanan discharged him. A few hours later he was found unconscious from the polson.

Big Picule July Fourth.

Who was formerly a resident of this city. Mr. and Mrs. John Charles Vana announce the marriage of their daughter. Victoria Barbara Vana, to John Wenceslaus Voller to take place in the morning of Thuraday, June 11, at 3 o'clock at the Church of Assumption of this city. They further announce that the newly married couple will be at home after June 22 at 3653 South Millard avenue, Chicago, Ill. nessey had a job. He was arrested in South Omaha early yesterday morning

The men of St. Agnes' parish have decided to give a monster sourth of July picnic at the old Country club grounds. Arrangements are being made to entertain all of South Omaha and vicinity. In addition to the large club house, spacious shaded grounds are available for the comferts of visitors. The committees are new at work to parish have decided to give a monster sourth of July picnic at the old Country club grounds. Arrangements are being made to entertained at her home 726 North Nineteenth street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Condon last week. These present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Condon last week. These present were tending to their own business. For even members of the hustling committee have to make a living between time.

Mrs. Dan Condon, Mrs. Delia T. Sage.

Mrs. Roy B. Condon last week and Mrs. Roy B. Condon Mrs. Park.

Miss Jessic Condon. Miss Madge Sturrock, Miss Grace Sturrock and Fannie Davison Sage.

So it took the girl hours to get all of them on the phone. She was tired when she got through. But she got through. The men of St. Agnes' parish have demittees are now at work to provide an enjoyable day.

A prominent speaker will be one of the features. Ball games, races and other sports will be on the program and plenty lo of amusements will be provided.

W. Pinero, to be given by the graduating seniors on the evening of June 10 at the high school auditorium. As a purely farce comedy the play is guaranteed to fully make its reputation in the hands of the local amateur comediars. Paul Orchard, president of the class, will play the part of "The Honorable Vere Queckett." as leading man, and Miss Permila Engle will assume the role of leading lady, playing the part of the school mis- Nebraskans on List tress, Miss Dyott. The cast: The Honorable Vere Queckett.

Paul Orchard Miss Dyott Paul Orchard

Rear Admiral Rankling Lewis Runyan

Mrs. Rankling Hasel Glasgow
Dinah Rankling Louis Bratton

Mr. Reginald Paulover. Lester Robinson

Peggy Hessierigge Gertrude McCauley
Licutenant John Mallory. Forest Dennis

Mr. Saunders. Albin Hoffman

Gwendoline Hawkins. Florence Benson

Remyntrude Johnston. Vivian Dyke

Mr. Otto Bernstein. Garwood Richardson

Tyler George Boyd Special Music Arranged.

Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick of the First Methodist church has arranged for special music for both morning and evening rvices today at the church, Twentyfifth and E streets. This morning the "Sanctus" from the St. Cecilia mass Gouned) will be sung by the chorus, with Miss Davis in the soto part. Also "Come Holy Spirit" (Jerome), will be rendered by Mrs. Hickabaugh and Miss Lee in a duo. This evening a full choir will sing The Calumet cook is not a relative of the 'How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings' (Spohr) and "Savior, When Night Involves the Skies (Shelley). An offertory solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord (Buck), will be sung by Mrs. Kullbam. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Card of Thanks. We extend our sincere thanks for kindness shown and sympathy expressed during the sickness and death of our beloved mother to the neighbors, friends and Royal Neighbors.-Mrs. E. A. McGlasson. Christensen. Following the graduation Mrs. H. C. Miller, Sydney G. Thompson and Harry F. Thompson.

High School Notes. Pinal examination for the graduating seniors will begin Tuesday morning and will continue through the next three days. The Vellum club met last Monday after-none in the high school auditorium in the last meeting of the year. The life and works of O. Henry was discussed. The final regular issue of the "tooter" came out to the students last Tuesday afternoon. Editor Emily Nystrom announces that if all goes well the commencement issue will be ready for mail

It is reported that a large number of the members of the junior and senior classes will be exampt from the final stability of the new % per cent rule. A number of the boys who walked out on their "strike" will not be eligible to this rule.

The issuis tournament will be started for \$6,400; southeast corner of Fourteenth and Fine are through the entire week. The bushes will be played first and the sin-first during the laiter part of the week liri issuis players are very source this car, but about twenty-five boys have registered for both singles and doubles.

The Seniors are preparing a big sur-

prise for the students of the high school prise for the students of the high school for June I. Somein the annual senior mass meeting to be held Monday morning, June I. Some-thing new and novel will be put upon the stage in the mass meeting which will last the greater part of the morn-

will be formed for next semester. Several students have registered and the name of William Verington has been suggested as instructor of the new class. Fourth year Latin may be left out, because of the smallness of the number of students who have registered for that stude.

Coach William Terington of the high school debating teams has changed the course of the debating class for the remainder of the semister slightly. The class is now working on next year a question for debate in the state league. "Resolved That the Railroad Should Be Owned and Operated by the Government of the nited States." Paul Jordan has joined the class.

The Gavel club will meet next Tues-day evening in the Board of Education room of the high school for a short ses-sion to conclude the club's work during the last year.

Society Notes. Mrs. R. Hunter, Mrs. T. G. Ingram and Mrs. George Brown will entertain the Ladies' Aid society of the First Method-ist church next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Al Hunter, 1839 North

wenty-seventh street. J. M. Rudesdorf announces the marriage of his daughter, Mrs. Edna Rudersdorf Book to Doane Powell of Omaha to take place Monday afternoon. June 1, at the First Presbyterian church, Twentythird and J streets.

Mrs. A. J. Randall entertained the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church last Thursday afternoon at her home, 231 E street. A number of ladies attended and a pleasant afternoon was passed by all present.

Magie City Gossip.

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Mrs. D. L. Holmes sells at her home, 2513 E St., South Omaha, all her household goods, including plane, sewing machine and range, Menday and Tuesday.

School of Dramatics of Omaha is put-ting the finishing touches on the new senior class play, "The School Mistress," a three-sot farce comedy, written by A. Washakie Tribe No. 33. Improved Order of Redmen will hold an important meet-ing Monday evening at its hall, Twenty-fourth and O streets, All Redmen are

of Ship's Passengers

Two Omaha men and one from O'Neill were on the ill-fated Empress of Ireland. which sunk off Father Point and carried more than 1,000 persons to their death,

Nels Larson, Nineteenth and Cass, emplayed by Alfred Bloom Sash and Fixture ompany. Carl Samuelson, Nineteenth and Cass,

employed as cook at the Calumet reataurant. B. A. Viquist, laborer, O'Neill.

Late telegraphic reports carry Samuel-

Larson and Samuelson were on their way to Sweden to visit their relatives for a couple of months. Both are well known throughout the Swedish colony in Omaha.

East Omaha Schools

School in East Omaha came to a close Tuesday afternoon, the following graduating: Harry Postlewait, Christine packer is arranging for public meetings Christensen, Clifford Postlewait and Ivy in Lincoln and Hastings. exercises Miss Neff, superintendent of park. All the graduates will attend the Omaha High school this fall.

Key to the Situation-Bee Advertising.

SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CASS AND TWENTY-THIRD IS SOLD

mencement issue will be ready for mail about July 1.

The operatia "Laila" was a marked success financially as well as musically, it is estimated that about £5 was steared by the concert. Miss Dickman predicts that the high school will have a large Glee ctub and several choruses next year.

Invitations to the junior banques to be given by the members of the junior and senior A classesto the graduating seniors on the night of June 6 at the Fried President of the Nebraska Telephone company, has changed hands again. About two years ago Ignats Mossovitz bought the property through J. B. Robinson has made a sale again to Soil Brothers of the light of June 6 at the Fried President of the Nebraska Telephone company, has changed hands again. About two years ago Ignats Mossovitz bought the property through J. B. Robinson has made a sale again to Soil Brothers of the METCALFE TO SPEAK IN

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croft streets, two lots and four houses

Samson to Slay that Number at Den Monday Night.

MALONEY GETS BUSY

While Samson Revels at St. Louis the Office Girl Prods Hustling Committee to the Task and Drags in Members.

"Sad news from Omaha!"

"What is it, what is it?" whispered Everett Buckingham and the rest of the Ak-Sar-Ben governors at St. Louis when the hotel and with a long face, remarked awaited her. 'ead news.'

"What is it? we're tired or waiting," they insisted. "We have the 1,000 members of Ak-Sar

Hen for the opening night," was what Dad Weaver read from the telegram. And then and there Everett Bucking ham, president of Ak-Sar-Ben let out of

St. Louisians gathered in the hotel, thought the Indians of the Original Louisiana Purchase had returned. Long has Samson had his heart set or getting a membership of 1,600 for the opening night of initiation performance at the Den. The opening night is tomorrow (Monday) evening, June 1. Things

There were then something like 1,675 mem-

looked bad when Samson went to St.

Louis to visit the Pageant and Masque.

Willing Workers at Home. On the way to St. Louis Dad Weaver cratched his head, and wondered whether drag many members while he was away. and several times he was on the point young players. of taking the next train back. For had he not promised himself and the whole

days away?

Scarcely had the St. Louis train swung

out of the yards with a final "toot, toot" than Miss Maloney telephoned to every member of the hustlers' committee. Worked a Surprise. "The boss is out of town." she shouted

excitedly. "Now won't you all just work harder than you ever did in your lives? We just must get this membership up to ,400 before he gets back, to surprise him." "Sure," came the ready answer from

Oh, but it wasn't so easy for Miss Maloney. Some of the hustlers she found readily. Others were out playing golf.

of all of them that they would get into the harness and work hard.

in 125 new members. Miss Maloney kept annual. Instead of the presentation of a tab. When the 125th name arrived, she flagpole, however, each senior class will

Sixteen hundred even was the result. She wired Samson at St. Louis at once. from the top of the pole which has just led to slaughter at the Den when the first

Navy Club Launches Small Boat Upon the Lake at Miller Park

Nearly 5,000 persons gathered at Miller park Saturday to witness the annual caremony attending the lauunching of a miniature battleship, all covered in flags, roses and bunting, in commoration of naval heroes, special emphasis being laid this year upon the fact that young saffors had been killed at Vera Cruz.

The ceremonies, under the auspices of of the Grand Army of the Republic, consisted of the ritual used annually, and of benediction.

Five hundred automobiles were banked about the little lake where the flowercovered boat was launched. The boat itself was the work of the

members of the Navy club, who, working together, fashioned it during the year. Many of the old veterans of the Civil war who intended to attend the cereson's hame as one of the survivors, but mony were delayed on account of the exmake no mention of the other two, either tended memorial services uptown. The as having booked passage or being miss- Miller park ceremonies began shortly after 6 o'clock and were concluded in a few minutes.

MISS MINNIE BRONSON

Omaha Schools

Mrs. J. W. Crumpacker, anti-suffragist leader, has received a telegram from Miss at the Paxton next Saturday. At this needing it is likely that delegates to the next of the companied by Miss Mariorie Dorman. companied by Miss Marjorie Dorman,

the school, gave a picule at Fontenelle Manitoba, Russell Mackensie MacCloud, Manitoba. Russell Mackenzle MacCloud, asking her to visit the province in July and make a number of speeches opposed to woman suffrage. It is likely that the name offices. invitation will be accepted. The governor of the province is opposed to the issue and is doing what he can to defeat it, but finds it difficult to get good

Indigestion and Constitution. "About five years ago I began taking Chambertain's Tablets after suffering from indigestion and constitution for

GETS THE SIXTEEN HUNDRED Omaha Youngsters Leave Home, Lured By Martial Strains

Like the Pied Piper of Hamlin, the marial music of yesterday's memorial demnstrations lured Omaha youngsters from heir homes. The police yesterday were called upon to locate no less than ten children who followed the soldiers and the bands.

Little Mourine Craig, daughter of C. L. Craig of Florence, left home early in the afternoon and led her parents a merry chase until Officer Noah Thomas found her at Twenty-fourth and Ames and sent Secretary Dad Weaver lined them up in her to the station, where her parents

Andrew Fustoz and Jimmie Baker of 1214 South Fourteenth and Harry Simon from next door following some militiamer uptown and then followed the parade. They were found by Judge Lee Estelle near his home at 4138 Cass.

Floyd Roberts, 1907 North Twenty-sixth stayed away from I o'clock until II and Charlie Wilderman, 1821 Pinkney, was his lungs such a Comanche yell that the absent for nearly ten hours.

Other youngsters who absented themselves were recovered by their parents before the police had time to get into action, and except for the orginal complaint, no other report was made at headquarters. All of the runaways are under 7 years

OMAHA BUSINESS MEN LOAN **FURNISHINGS TO STUDENTS**

The unusually beautiful staging of the play given by the Central High school the hustling committee at home would Friday night was one largely to the generosity of Omaha firms who lavished When the cat is away," mused Weaver, their most costly furnishings upon the

The rich tapestried furniture for the French court scene was selected by town that he would have 1,600 members Marcus Nielsen of Beaton & Laier, and for the opening night at the Ben? And the tavern scene also was provided by was not the opening night only a few this firm. The Burgess-Nash company loaned the beautiful rugs and velvet But while Samson scratched his head hangings of the court scenes as well as and "hibbled" about the membership, the the apple blossoms for the opening act Mrs. Sophia Hartman of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. H. J. Oswald of this city at her home, 250 D street, for a few weeks. After her visit with Mrs. Cewald she will go to Castle Rock, Colo., and visit with her daughter. Mrs. D. A. Cannow, was working her wits.

and "hibbled" about the membership, the the apple blossoms for the opening act. The burnished copper and real English breakfast set, the unusual garden furnished with her daughter. Mrs. D. A. Cannow, was working her wits. yards of bright silk and velvet properties from Thompson & Belden's, a plane from Hayden's, real English andirons from Milton Rogers, artistic bronze from Copley & Ryan's, old English from from Brandels and mahogany pieces from Tatel complete a list of properties equalled by few road companies. The young people to whose delight and inspiration these furnishings contributed are enthusiastic in their appreciation of the substantial interest in their activities taken by Omaha's business men. Scenery of the play was furnished in part by the Orpheum and the American

CREIGHTON STUDENTS TO GIVE FLAGS TO UNIVERSITY

So well did the student body of the Creighton arts' college like the flagpole presentation of the senior class of the Thus from Wednesday night to Friday now being laid a plan among the stuacademic department Friday that there is noon they tolled and at that time dragged dents whereby the occasion will be made present to the university an immense been installed.

At the end of each year the old flag will be taken down and hung as a memorial to the donors in the university auditorium or in some part of the col-

ege building. The senior class of the college department is now making elaborate preparations for the presentation of a new fountain to the university. The fountain has ust been installed and will be presented

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS TO GIVE PLAYS MONDAY EVE

Two plays, "Mrs. Williss' Will," and "That Blonde Person," will be given by the Navy club of Omaha and the Ladies First Methodist church at the North the Friendship Philathea class of the Presbyterian church, Twenty-fourth and Wirt streets, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The performances will be presented un der the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society. Special music will be

The proceeds of the play will be used for the benefit of Dr. S. L. Picotte's work among the Omaha Indians.

Joe Barker of the Foster-Barker agency spent most of last week in St. Louis look-ing over features for the Omaha Ak-Sar-Ben carnival.

S MINNIE BRONSON

The Foster-Barker company has commenced the publication of Protection, a monthly insurance paper, edited by Raymond F. Low of the accident department.

To come to omaha soon the watchword is "Keeping up with the

companied by Miss Marjorie Dorman, who has done effective campaigning in the east. Anticipating the arrival of these prominent workers, Mrs. Crumpacker is arranging for public meetings in Lincoln and Hastings.

A letter was received yesterday by Mrs. Crumpacker from a reintive in Winnipes, Manitoba, Russell Mackenzie MacCloud, \$2,306.

Vice President Luikart of the Lion Bonding company spent a portion of last week in Grand Island, attending the meeting of the Nebraska Bankers' saso-ciation.

Secretary Shaffer of the Lion Bonding company is back from Kansas City, where he spent most of last week looking after company business. Jay D. Foster of the Foster-Barker company is still in the east, visiting the home offices of the companies repre-sented in the agencies.



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